

# LOCAL BALL CLUBS CARRY OFF HONORS ON SPORTS DAY

The sports day held last week by the hockey club was a very successful affair but was not as well attended as had been expected.

The highlights of the day was the winning of the soft ball tournament by the locals and also the exhibition baseball contest from Carletonville by a score of 5-4.

The first softball game was a free hitting affair between Namaka and Rosemary with Namaka coming out on top 17-12. Wooster and K. Watts hit home runs for Namaka.

The second game between Meadowbrook and Gleichen was the most interesting game with Gleichen just nailing out their opponents 2-0. E. Lester on the mound for the locals allowed him one hit which was credited to J. Wilson. C. Brown and T. Downey accounted for the two Gleichen runs.

The final game between Namaka and Gleichen saw the local team rattle a four run rally in the final frame to overcome an early Namaka lead and triumph 6-5. C. Brown's two home runs helped the winning effort.

In the baseball game Gleichen edged out Carletonville 5-4 for the third win of the day. Jerry Yates was the star of the edge over Jack Cole of Carletonville for pitching honors. Bert James timely single scoring Bud Lester secured in the winning run for Gleichen.

In the evening a fairly large crowd turned out to see the boxing show which proved to rather interesting.

The first preliminary between Klem of Winnipeg, and C. Hodis of Turner Valley developed into a great slugfest contest in which the art of boxing seemed to have been forgotten. Both fighters fought in with a will and gave all they had. The decision was a draw.

The second preliminary between W. C. Grier of Gleichen and D. G. Arrowood resulted in a win for Cutter by the knock out route. This was the only knock out of the evening. They bout was a little bit of punishment for each other. In the third Cutter took the count of eight and in the fourth a count of six. Cutter came back with vengeance in the fifth, and smothered Oliver with a shower of rights and lefts to knock him out. During the fight Oliver lasted about a minute Oliver never landed a blow in return.

The third bout was between C. Smith of Gleichen and Dick Bosdale of Rainier. This two boys had met before and were very evenly matched. Both were very much in the fight neither had any advantage over the other. There was no knock down. Each fighter did his level best to knock the other out with every blow struck. The fight was decided a draw.

The main bout between Turney of Medicine Hat and L. Lavoy of Edmonton was an easy win for the boy from the Hat. Lavoy was much the better boxer and was altogether a much better fighter. In the fifth, sixth and seventh Lavoy looked as if he was all in. During the last rounds he reeled and staggered and eased up and did not put up a power behind his blows. Last appears to be a rather clever boxer and made many friends for himself here and it is probable that if he were to fight here again a much larger crowd would be on hand to see him in action.

The dance which followed the fight was well attended.

## REPORT ACTIVITIES MEADOWBROOK LADIES S. C. GROUP

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Meadowbrook Ladies Social Group was held on Thursday, June 16th the hostesses being Mrs. Geo. Bell and Miss Claude Roush. Thirteen members answered the roll call. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted and correspondence on hand dealt with. Arrangements were made for the entertainment of the Arrowwood Ladies Social Club Group at the home of Mrs. R. B. Hays on Thursday, June 23rd. The meeting then ad-

# News Items of Local Interest

After spending several weeks in town holidaying, P. Downey left for Ontario last week to resume his position.

About four o'clock Tuesday morning a heavy down pour of rain hit town and lasted for about fifteen minutes, the year did not cover a very wide area.

A great many farmers are busy irrigating these days. They are not waiting to see if it will rain as in years gone by. Already lack of moisture is beginning to show along the roadsides where weeds and grass are beginning to fade.

Results of the Carletonville baseball tournament held last Friday were as follows: First game Carletonville, Gleichen 4. One extra inning was necessary to decide the game. Arrowood defeated a by Final game Carletonville 7, Carletonville 5.

Mr. Lawrence of East Coulee is at present in charge of the Crown Lumber Company's yard here relieving the boy who is taking a month's holiday owing to ill health. Mr. Birch has gone to Edmonton to visit his son for a few days. Later he will leave on an extended trip.

Monday afternoon a car bound for Gleichen when about eight miles north of town blew out a rear tire and turned over. Of the several passengers aboard only one woman received injuries which required medical attention. She had a badly bruised arm which upon being examined was found to have no broken bones. Outside of a vent ridge the car did not suffer much damage.

The grasshopper plague in the blackfoot municipality is pretty well under control. Only about half the amount of poison bait is going out this year as compared with last year. Over several years past an intensive campaign has been waged by the municipality against the hoppers and the continued battle has begun to show results much to the gratification of municipality officials and farmers.

Mrs. W. P. Evans has over 50 yellow roses in bloom in her garden.

Tony Maugh, Ernie Woods and Pete Rhau left Monday for Turner Valley where they plan to look for

fur.

Alberta Crop Report

The general crop condition for the province continues satisfactory, according to Hon. D. Mulvan, minister of agriculture and crops have a healthy appearance. A large area in the southern portion of the province received good rain, which in some districts measured one and a quarter inches. Although north of Edmonton moisture is lacking, particularly in the Peace River block, crops are maintaining their growth and sufficient moisture is available. Coarse grains have not germinated evenly through lack of surface moisture. The rain in the dry belt has appreciably reduced soil drifting, however, some damage occurred in the Peace River country. These fields are making good recovery. Good general rain would brighten prospects.

Cattlemen are taking a heavy toll of the late sown coarse grains in the drier parts of the province, with some reseeded having already been done. The heaviest infestation of grasshoppers is in the Vulcan, Blackie, Champion and Carletonville areas, but the application of insecticide poison bait is effectively checking this pest and damaged crops are making a recovery.

The irrigated districts report a good stand of alfalfa, and heavy crops in general indicate a favorable outlook for hay. Pea crops are heading up with spring wheat first. Ranges and pastures in the southern half of the province are reported as having a good stand of native grasses. The drier parts of the province report pasture drying to the extent of reducing milk pro-

duction. They took along a camping outfit and are prepared to stay for a while. There is no truth in the report that they hope to land a contract to drill and bring in an oil well.

M. Walker the provincial president of the Canadian Legion, together with Comrade H. Parthing, will broadcast over station CFBN on Friday, June 24th, immediately following the Texas news, commencing at 10:15 p.m. The subject of the broadcast will be the Canadian Legion presentation to the Howell Commission. It is a very interesting brief and it is felt that all members, and their friends, will enjoy hearing it.

The Indians staged a small sized stampede at the fair grounds Saturday for a couple of hours, calling a halt to the performance when urged by the police. The idea was to give the riders a chance to practice riding for the Calgary show. The boys from over the tracks brought along a fine class string of bucking horses and cowboys. The riders were told that the animals were mean critics by the fact that they would buck right, left, rearward and backward; some of the horses fought their way to freedom by boosting themselves over the high rail. The horse kept right on the wire nothing charged right through the wire nothing behind the base. The animals were tame and were tangled in the strands and for a few moments it looks as the rider, who by this time was on the ground some feet to the rear of the horse, would be used to harrow the ground, but fortunately the animals broke. The horses were through the high wire fence enclosing the arena. In two cases the riders landed on the ground while the horses kept right on going. In the third case the horse was riderless having leaped the chute gate before the rider could get on. Altogether the uproar that was had by the crowd. It is not right that the Indians or anybody else for that matter should stage a show of this kind in town in Sunday. If the Indians want to use the corral and chute to practice for the Calgary show why not do so in live evenings. They would be using their animals to the grounds in the afternoon and in the evening they would be assured a large crowd on hand to witness the show since there would be no charge.

ductions. Ranches report slightly higher lamb and calf crops since pasture have matured and are good. Cattle are making rapid gains, but few are marketable yet. The outlook for grass fed cattle are not strong enough to induce sales. FROM THE FILES OF GLEICHEN CALL TWENTY YEARS AGO

Rumors have been going around that some faithful changes are to be made for entrance, etc. to be grand opening of the new Farmers Hall at Quaternon Friday evening. The committee in charge of the opening wish to assure the public that there is no foundation for these rumors. The new hall is a grand and so is the dance. The Vulcan band will supply the music.

The meeting called to re-organize the Canadian Agricultural Association was fairly well attended by farmers and business men and a real live program was given. The speaker, (singing thereof, with the result the association was reorganized. [Fairs will be held on a better scale than ever, the building, race track, ball and athletic grounds will be put in an excellent state for use. An irrigation ditch will be run through the grounds. The following officers were elected: President J. Dufos; vice-president N. McMillan; treasurer N. B. Bartsch; secretary, T. H. Boush; treasurer T. Henderson; auditor F. Callaghan; directors: P. Daw, Harry Smith, Duncan Clark, J. H. Hays, J. Shatt, A. Wilson, John Prosser, J. Young, G. Matthews, John Giambock, J. P. E. Egan.

Mrs. R. G. Ironsides and son, Bobbie, arrived to visit her father Mr. John Dufos. Mrs. Ironsides is accompanied by her sister, Hazel.

## MR. AND MRS. P. DOWNEY HONORED SILVER WEDDING

Approximately 150 friends of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Downey gathered at the Oddfellows Hall one evening last week to honor them and their family on the 25th anniversary of their wedding. Besides a very representative number of Gleichen residents there were also a large number of railway employees from as far east as Cochrane to Langdon and Delmad on the west. Rev. Father Hays was responsible for the arranging of the program while a sumptuous supper was provided by the ladies with Mrs. B. S. Haskayne in charge. Mr. and Mrs. Downey were presented with a silver coffee percolator and waftion as a token of esteem in which Mr. Downey made suitable reply. A very successful evening was wound up in dancing to music supplied by the Little France from Strathmore while several toasts were also being given in true fashion accompanied by the relaying of several well recalled experiences which required a good deal of washing down.

## CALGARY EXHIBITION AND STAMPEDE JULY 11 TO JULY 16

Rated as one of the most spectacular and colorful shows of its kind on the continent, the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede will open its third annual event Monday, July 11th and continuing to Saturday, July 16th, with an extra day on Saturday, July 16th. This world famous western show annually attracts well over 200,000 people from all over Canada and the United States. This year's program is a masterpiece of features, both in entertainment and educational value.

Monday morning, July 11th, the monthly parade swings down the streets of Calgary. This year, it's bigger and better than ever. Many suspense features have been added under the direction of James Smart, chairman of the Stampede parade and Alex. Ross, vice chairman and Harry Hutchinson in charge of all details. Over 50,000 people witness this great annual event. Indians in picturesque native dress, hundreds of cowboys and cowgirls riding prancing horses and aboard their chuck-

Comedy balloons depicting animals and rugged figures will provide the feature attraction along with over 1,200 stunts and mounted police. The parade will cover several miles and will be led by twenty bands. Special attractive industrial floats will add color and interest to the event. All floats must pass inspection of the committee before they will be allowed to participate. Entry forms may be obtained from the exhibition offices.

Another added attraction for the parade is being arranged by President, J. Yale, which will include the different breeds of cattle and sheep mounted in bands. All classes of horses will also be paraded in a special section.

The stampede proper will take place every afternoon in the arena, grandstand. Between five and six hundred entries, including many of the world's greatest riders, will participate. Perhaps the most exciting feature of the stampede will be the trials for the Canadians and North American riders. Lacking horses, stunts, followed by wild steer riding, wild cow milking, steer and calf roping. Each and every event will hold the audience spell bound. The wild steer decorating contests always win rounds of approval as well as Indian stunts that are run each evening.

No matter how many times you have witnessed chuck wagon races you always put up on the edge of your seat with excitement. To see these wagons race around the track at breakneck speed is a thrill that you'll remember the rest of your life. In fact there's nothing on the continent that rivals these races in color and thrilling expectation. These races are a part of the evening performance on the grand stand stage.

The "Revue Internationale" is the title of the stampede's grand stand performance to be presented before the evening audience. It's a (Continued on another page)

## CHINA STRIKES BACK GERMANY INVADES AUSTRIA

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## WHERE DOES ALL THE MONEY COME FROM?

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Some people do not fully understand banking operations and might ask:

1. What have the banks got to represent our deposits if they do not have it all in cash?

2. How can the banks repay our deposits, over \$2,262,000,000, with the amount of cash they hold?

The answer to No. 1 is: Look at any bank balance sheet and you will see for yourself that a bank owns more than it owes. That is to say—if all of its deposits were paid in a book it is of its other debts paid, a balance would be left belonging to the shareholders.

That should answer your first question satisfactorily. And now for No. 2:

Look again at a bank balance sheet and you will see that in addition to the cash it holds, the bank owns assets quickly convertible into cash, or which can be used to borrow from the Bank of Canada.

Experience has taught banks the amount of cash it is necessary to carry to meet ordinary day to day demands, and also the proportion it is necessary to carry in gilt-edged quick assets which can be liquidated to meet even any extraordinary demand.

Banks know that if they expect all depositors to call for their money at the same time, that they will be left saying that if everybody got sick at the same time there would not be room in the hospitals to take care of them.

Or that if everybody who travels by street car decided to travel at exactly the same hour, there would not be enough cars to carry them.

In fact if every person who carries life insurance on the same day all the claims could not be met.

Or that if every sea were drained dry there would be no ocean liners.

Such statements are meaningless when you expose them to the cold light of commonsense. Where, then, does all the money come from? That question must be answered by asking this question: Who owns it and how do they get it?

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## CANADIAN PACIFIC

Artists seem to enjoy the same  
license as poets. A painting on the  
walls of the Royal Exchange in Lon-  
don shows King John, surrounded by  
his barons, at Runnymede, in the act  
of signing the Magna Carta. It is a  
master of history that King John  
was illiterate to the point that he  
could not write his own name. What  
he probably did at Runnymede was  
to affix the great seal of England  
to the document and this, we know,  
he did reluctantly.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

#### CRAIGANTLER AND DISTRICT

Jack Sheets is a frequent visitor  
to Calgary lately.

Miss F. Selgenauer has recovered  
from her recent illness.

Earheart Jensen is recovering nicely  
after going through a serious opera-  
tion in Calgary.

Mrs. Bailey Schreiber is under the  
weather these days having had her  
teeth extracted.

Miss H. Dankwerth was a visitor  
over Sunday with her parents Mr.  
and Mrs. H. Dankwerth.

C. Stickle is entering some of his  
horses at the Calgary Stampede.  
They left the district recently.

The crops would benefit by a good  
shower. They are not suffering in this  
district up to the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of Cal-  
gary and Mrs. Gordon Glimble of  
Turner Valley were Sunday visitors  
with Capt. and Mrs. Glimble.

Mr. Jack Chel has been engaged  
for another term as teacher at Crai-  
gantler school. He has given up the  
notion of going to California.

Although it is rather late for the  
publication we are to announce that  
St. Shede's played the Barnes circus  
in Calgary. St. was at one time a  
member of the crew and saw many  
old friends.

Mrs. George Grant is at present in  
the Beasano hospital under the care  
of Dr. Scott. Mrs. Grant was taken  
seriously ill Saturday night and hur-  
ried to the hospital where she under-  
went an operation.

### THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange, Director of  
"Crop Testing Plan"

Now the farmers with their teams,  
tractors, plows, discs and cultivators,  
are busy summer following the land.

Summer following is often to rest  
the land, or to clean it from weeds,  
to conserve extra moisture for the  
following crop, as is old as agri-  
culture itself. In ancient  
and in ancient Britain, thousands of years  
ago, laws were sometimes made  
siding out the proportion of the  
land that had to be sown, fallowed  
or grazed each year.

Summer following has always been  
regarded as a kind of insurance pro-  
fession that the farmer pays with his  
time, and with the loss of one year's  
crop, in order to ensure a greater  
certainty of good yields in the  
future.

In western Canada, in districts  
that enjoy good average rainfall,  
summer following is usually done  
solely to destroy weeds. Most weeds,  
such as wild oats, are best killed when  
they are in the four leaf stage.

For conserving moisture, however,  
because even young weed plants use  
a good deal of precious rainfall, it is  
best to manage a completely black  
fallow, that is, not to let the weeds  
at any time appear above the ground  
at all.

Summer following should be done  
as early as possible, of course, so  
that the rains that fall in June and  
July may be conserved.

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**CALGARY EXHIBITION**  
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join in this great event with their re-  
servation of the big cabin on the grounds.

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